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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Agent File No.: 13225-5us PN/df

Applicants: SYLVAIN MARCOTTE ET AL.  
Serial No.: 10/025,860  
Filed: December 26, 2001  
Title: REAR CONNECTOR PANELS FOR HOUSINGS  
Examiner: Hung S. Bui  
Group Art Unit: 2841

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
U.S.A.

Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2003. Kindly amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Paragraphs [0025], [0026] and [0028] have been amended.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Claims 1, 2 and 12 have been amended.

**IN THE DRAWINGS:**

Figs. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 have been amended.